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Application No. 10/723,543	)	
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For: Systems and Methods for Supercritical	)	
Water Reformation of Fuels and	)	
Generation of Hydrogen Using	)	
Supercritical Water	)	

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**RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 23, 2009 FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed October 23, 2009. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in view of this amendment and remarks herein. Applicant respectfully requests a one (1) month extension of time for filing this response. This response is being timely filed within four months of the mailing date of the Office Action. The fee for the one month extension of time is being paid electronically via EFS-WEB.

IN THE CLAIMS: Amend claims 18, 26 and 27 as follows:

**Amendments** to the Claims begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 6.